more such complexes can be taken up by the project implementing agencies.

Budget for ARWSP

†1155. SHRI P.K. MAHESHWARI: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have been preparing an exaggerated budget regarding Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of the funds sought for Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme during the last three years along with the amount spent during the said period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K. PATIL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The allocation, release and utilisation of funds under ARWSP during the last three years is as under:-

(Rupees in Crores)

Year	Funds allocated		Funds released	Utilisation of funds reported by States/UTs
	BE	RE		
2000-01	1960.00	1960.00	1896.55	1672.21
2001-02	2010.00	1974.95	1943.05	1752.75
2002-03	2235.00	2110.00	2100.70	1386.34

Swajaldhara Scheme in Karnataka

1156. SHRI K.B. KRISHNA MURTHY: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of proposals for rural water schemes sent by the Karnataka Government under the Swajaldhara Scheme;

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